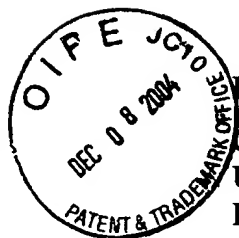




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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action, the Applicant submits the enclosed response. The Office Action did not have a shortened statutory period, so the Applicant believes that no extension of time is necessary. However, in the event that such an extension is required, the Applicant respectfully petitions for one. If any fees are required with this filing, the Applicant requests that they be deducted from the Applicant's deposit account No. 503090.

The Applicant includes a copy of this filing for date stamping. It is respectfully requested that the attached copy of this filing be stamped with the date of filing of these documents, and that it be returned to our courier.

Respectfully submitted,

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